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WORDS  
FROM  
THE  
LEPRECHAUN



In 1954, a group of numismatists sat down and formed an organization that was to become the Numismatic Association Of Southern California. A convention was planned and it was a success. They then decided to hold one each year. The progress was very rapid. Clubs joined. More Clubs were formed and they also joined. Through their hard work and contributed time the ball started to roll. In 1959 the Quarterly was first printed, recognizing each club and its activities along with some numismatic news. Most of all — a list of speakers for the clubs. All these years our clubs were sound and going strong, but today they are having some trouble. Attendance is down, Bank accounts are down. No one is willing to take office. Some clubs are dissolving, etc.

Now, as many of you know, I have tried to help every club that I come in contact with (and that is many) in every way I can. But I know that cannot be enough. Now, during my term of office, I am proud to announce that we will have a program to help all member clubs financially and attendance-wise. But, it will mean every club and its membership will have some work to do. You will be receiving a letter concerning this project (if you have not already received it). I hope all will do their best and not let me down.

Love thy God.

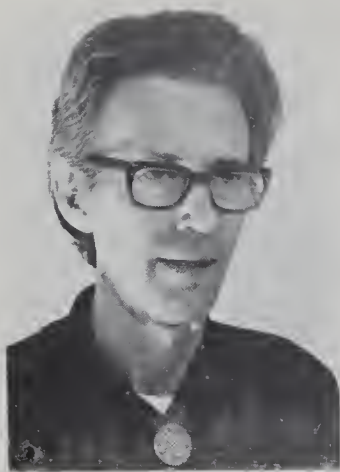
Love our hobby.

Love our country and all our fellow men.

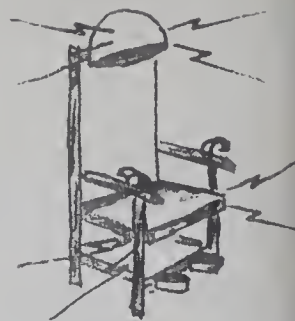
Oh my God, I love thee above all things, with my whole heart and soul, because thou art all-good and worthy of all love. I love my neighbor as myself for the love of thee. I forgive all who have injured me and ask pardon for all I have injured. I pray to have a successful convention.

Love,

Myron McClaflin - President



## Ex Cathedra Calida Numismatica



### ANCIENT HISTORY

In this issue of the Quarterly we are privileged to have the first installment of what we hope will be a series by NASC Past President Ben Williams. It took some "arm twisting" by Ye Ed, but we have in this issue Ben's recollections of the first few years of our organization's history. He has also provided a group photograph taken at NASC's first banquet — in 1957 at the **second** convention. You'll find this bit of "antiquity" on the centerfold pages — look it over and see who you can recognize.

### GOLDEN YEARS

It should also be noted that Ben and Anne Williams celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary last June 19th. Ben has been active in numismatics since before Ye Ed was born and he also got a 30-year head start in the married-life "arena". Best wishes from the Quarterly to you both, Ben and Anne!

### FAREWELL

At a time when low attendance at coin club meetings and financial troubles are common topics in various club bulletins it is distressing to note that this year NASC has "lost" the following eight member clubs:

Israel Numismatic Society Of Orange County — DISBANDED  
Rockwell International Stamp & Coin Club — DISBANDED  
Southern Hub Coin Club — DISBANDED  
Oxnard Coin Club — DISBANDED  
La Mirada Coin Club — DISBANDED  
Garden Grove Coin Club — DROPPED MEMBERSHIP  
Santa Ana Coin Club — DROPPED MEMBERSHIP  
Sun City Coin Club — DROPPED MEMBERSHIP

We know there are still coin collectors out there because **some** of the clubs are thriving.



has always been true that some collectors belonged to more than one club and while some of these actually attended all of the clubs they joined, others were merely "on the Books". A coin club can't survive too big a percentage of its members don't attend the meetings! However, when a collector joins too many clubs, he or she may find many excuses to miss the meetings of those clubs whose programs have become a little "flat" or whose door prizes are a bit too much the same from month to month. Regardless of excuses or personal reasons, it is the final responsibility of a club's officers to make the club meetings attractive enough to both members and guests to bring them in — not just once in a while, but at least most of the time. There is no absolute **right of survival** for any club! Only if the club **serves** its members can it expect its members to serve their club!



J.H. McInnis, Jr.  
Editor

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## SEVENTH ANNUAL NASC CLUB WORKSHOP

The seventh annual edition of what has come to be one of the most significant efforts to promote the welfare of coin clubs in Southern California was held on Saturday, 16 July 1977. The NASC Club Workshop is a serious attempt to provide an annual forum wherein coin clubs can obtain and/or exchange information regarding matters of mutual interest.

Over the years since its inception the NASC Club Workshop has focused its collective attention on a variety of areas — some problems and some successes. The 1977 Workshop was organized in two parts. The morning session took the form of a Panel Discussion with questions (and sometimes answers) from the audience addressed to the panel of "experts". At mid-day there was a break for lunch (compliments of NASC). Following lunch there were two sessions of round-table discussions on a variety of topics calculated to be of interest to the clubs. Each table was guided by a prominent local numismatist who brought his or her expertise to its topic of discussion.

At the conclusion of the second afternoon session, attendees were given a souvenir of the occasion — a tradition since the first workshop — a miniature PNC, in this case. Attendance at the 1977 NASC Club Workshop was once again in excess of 100.

## **MY RECOLLECTIONS OF THE FOUNDING OF NASC**

by Ben W. Williams, Pres. of NASC 1960-61

The idea of a group of Southern California Coin Clubs banding together and forming a regional association was pretty well finalized during the convention of the A N A, held at the Fountinelle Hotel in Omaha in 1955. At that time, I was quite active in the Long Beach Coin Club and was busy founding the Douglas Numismatic Society, of which I became the first President.

On our return to Southern California, we held several organizational meetings, mostly at the Clifton Cafeteria, where several of the original promoters put \$25. and \$50. each in the kitty to finance the first convention. This convention was held at the New Clark Hotel Feb. 17 to Feb. 19, 1956 and, as a club, we started off with a bang, with all the officers and board members contributing their time and effort to make it a success. Our first cases were borrowed and the officers did the manual work. I won top prize for my gold display at the Convention.

We next held a board meeting of the club on June 3rd, 1956, where we decided to purchase 250 1956 Proof Sets to be given as a promotional scheme in 1957 at cost plus 15c to people attending. Several of us loaned the club money to do this. On Jan. 27, 1957, we held another board meeting to plan our 1957 convention. William Fanning was elected President, Charles Ruby was Vice President, Clarence Dunbar was 2nd Vice President, and I was Treasurer. Our funds were very limited; as money came in from the various activities, I had to rush to the bank to deposit it in order to meet our bills and to write checks to pay them. That was true of the Convention itself. We operated on a marginal basis financially, although the meetings were popular and well attended. A few of the bourse dealers objected to the \$25.00 we charged for bourse space, but they seemed to do real well. I worked in the registration room with Carl Brainard, Thelma Case, and Lew Zumwalt. We lost \$70.00 on our first banquet, but the displays were lovely and the bourse tables did real well. Curley Mitchell judged the displays.

On March 10, 1957, we held a board meeting which lasted for 3 hours and consisted of reports on the success of the convention. Our next board meeting was held on May 5 at the Statler Hilton Hotel, and on September 29 we held a meeting at the Southern Pines restaurant in Hollywood to discuss our 1958 convention. Two more board meetings were held - December 1, 1957 and January 5, 1958, at the Clifton Cafeteria. On January 12, 1958, it was determined to move the convention site to the Statler Hilton Hotel. Charley Ruby was President, Slim Dunbar was Vice-President, and I was 2nd Vice-President.

Our first convention at the Statler Hilton Hotel was held Feb. 28 and March 1 and 2. We held our next board meeting at the Figueroa Hotel on March 16 to review our convention and it was an exciting one. We discussed increasing our bourse fees in order to break even, and not go broke.

On August 13 to 17, 1958, our club hosted the ANA Convention. We loaned them all our cases and helped at the registration desk. The convention lasted for five days and our club was very, very busy. Earl Glen Whitehead was the General Chairman and moving force at the convention.

On September 21, 1958, at the Figueroa Hotel we held a stormy board meeting and raised the bourse fee to \$35.00. Several dealers claimed it was much too high and threatened to quit the organization.

We held our first board meeting at the Statler Hilton Hotel on January 18, 1959, and another on February 8. Our Convention was held February 13 to 15, 1959. Our President was Slim Dunbar and I was Vice-President. Dr. Ruby left his display of all dates of U.S. quarters in the display room, and I carried them around in my car trunk for a week before I could return them, little realizing the true worth of my cargo. Dr. Ruby said he was not worried - he was sure they were all right.

I drove to Portland to the ANA convention from August 26 to 30, 1959. We held a board meeting at the Statler Hilton Hotel on September 20, 1959, which was mostly about finances. On November 1, 1959, I learned I was to become President of the Long Beach Club, and at a board meeting at the Statler Hilton on November 29, 1959, I was elected President of NASC.

On January 17, 1960 and February 14, 1960, we held the last board meetings before our 1960 convention, discussing last minute details. On February 18, 1960, our 6th convention started. I presided as President, Dick Goodson was Vice President and George Bennett 2nd Vice-President. Secretary was George Wood, Recording Secretary was Carolyn Olson, and Treasurer was Lew Zumwalt.

The first board meeting I presided over as President was held on March 6, 1960. On May 5, 1960, we held a board meeting and voted to instruct our first cases. We ordered 100 of them. We amended our by-laws to establish life memberships. Summer passed and another board meeting was held October 2, 1960. Our meetings were often organizational in form and lasted long with lots of opinions stated.

During my tenure I stressed calling on all the member clubs and helped organize several new clubs—the Compton Club, the Brea Club, the Lakewood Club, and the North American Aviation Coin

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## **MUSICIANS ON COINS AND CURRENCY**

By Thomas F. Fitzgerald

A limited number of coins have been struck honoring the world's musicians. When compared to stamps, the number of such issues is small indeed, but with a renewed interest in commemoratives by nations such as East Germany, West Germany and Poland, a number of these coins have been released in recent years. While most of

these memorial coins are struck to mark centennials of births, deaths, etc., the opportunity to add to national treasuries by selling these issues to collectors cannot be over-looked. Thus, specimen coins, proofs, and even patterns have been made available in large quantities to the numismatists interested in commemoratives.

This article deals only with official, authorized governmental coinage and currency recognizing music and musicians. A law for commemorative issues usually sets forth the exact number of coins to be minted, the type of denominations to be used and other specifications such as the size or alloy of the issues. A considerable number of medals, tokens and medallions to enhance any collection featuring music, are available from numerous sources. For example, the French Club Francias De La Medaille has a separate catalog dealing with musical items. A report on these medals and tokens, however, is beyond the scope of this article.

The following list of coins honoring musicians includes the Richard S. Yeoman number for identification purposes.

### **COINS HONORING MUSICIANS**

The modern states of Austria and Germany are relatively recent nations in the history of Europe. Much of Germany and present day Austria were ruled by the Hapsburgs. Many city-states existed within these territories. Thus both countries, Germany and Austria, claim composers such as Franz Schubert, Wolfgang Mozart and Joseph Haydn. All were at one time residents of Vienna, the present capital of Austria.

#### **Austria**

No other country can match Austria with her numismatic issues honoring men of science and art. This began with the "Famous Men" series of 1928 and continues today. The obverse of these commemorative coins usually contains the bust of the individual being honored. The reverse contains the nine shields of the Austrian Empire States



Burgendland, Carinthia, Lower Austria, Vienna, Upper Austria, Salzburg, Styria, Tirol, and Voralberg) arranged in a circle.

Y69 1928 Franz Schubert Silver - 2 Schillings

This coin marks the centennial of the death of Schubert in Vienna in 1828 at the age of thirty-one. His best known compositions are "The Unfinished Symphony" and "Ave Maria."

Y71 1930 Walter von der Vogelweide Silver - 2 Shillings

Although he was better known as a poet, this issue is included among the musicians' coins because he strummed a lyre as he recited his poetry. This coin commemorates the 700th anniversary of the death of this historical figure.

Y72 1931 Wolfgang A. Mozart Silver - 2 Schillings

This issue commemorates the 175th anniversary of the birth of Mozart. He was born in Salzburg in 1756 and died in Vienna in 1791. A second coin honoring this composer was minted in 1956 and will be discussed later in this article. This child-prodigy began composing at the age of five and composed magnificent symphonies, quartets, operas and concertos.

Y73 1932 Joseph Haydn Silver - 2 Schillings

Haydn was born in Rohran, in Lower Austria in 1732 and this issue marks the 200th anniversary of his birth. He died in Vienna in 1809. History refers to him as the "father" of the symphony, recognizing his influence on the development of this musical form. His creative activity spanned a half of a century.

Y97 1956 Wolfgang A. Mozart Silver - 25 Schillings

Following the years of Anschluss by Hitler's Germany and the Second World War, a second coin honoring the 200th anniversary of the birth of Mozart was issued. Only slight changes of the reverse were made from the 1928 series. The reeded edge had been replaced with a smooth edge.

Y108 1962 Anton Bruckner Silver - 25 Schillings

This composer was born in Ausfelden, Austria in 1824 and died in Vienna in 1896. An admirer of the operatic composer Richard Wagner, Bruckner's symphonies have endured.

Y118 1967 Blue Danube Waltz (Johann Strauss)

Silver - 50 Schillings

The first of two coins referring to this composer, this 1967 issue marks the 100th anniversary of the premier of the Blue Danube Waltz — and what a disaster it was! The reception of the audience was, at best, lukewarm. When consoled by his brother, Johann replied, "I don't mind about the waltz at all. The only thing I am sorry about is that this damned thing had such a nice and elaborate coda."

Y123 1970 Franz Lehar Silver - 25 Schillings

This coin commemorates the centennial of the birth of this composer of "The Merry Widow." Although considered a Hungarian by birth, Franz Lehar lived in Austria from 1890 until his death in that country in 1948.



Y138 1975 Johann Strauss  
Silver - 100 Schillings

The second coin relating to Strauss was minted in 1975 and commemorates the 150th anniversary of his birth. He was born in Vienna in 1825 and died there in 1899.

## **Brazil**

Y47 1937 Carlos Gomes Nickel - 300 Reis

From 1936 to 1938, Brazil issued eight coins struck on minor metals to honor their famous men in art, industry and science. One of these was composer Carlos Gomes (1839-1896). He was Brazil's best known composer. One of twenty-five children, his mother was a music teacher and his father was a composer. He was educated in Milan, Italy.

## **Czechoslovakia**

Czechoslovakia's commemorative coins have followed a political theme reflecting the strong influence of the Soviet Union with coins honoring Stalin and Lenin.

Y99 1974 Bedrich Smetana Silver - 100 Korun

This coin commemorates the 150th anniversary of the birth of Smetana in Bohemia in 1824. He died in Prague in 1884. His best known works are "The Moldau" and the opera, "The Bartered Bride."

## **Germany**

Germany, with a heritage rich in music and noted for the greatest composers such as Bach, Beethoven and Brahms, failed to honor this musical leadership until the present decade. Both East and West German governments, however, have since issued coins saluting musicians.

Y26 1970 Ludwig Van Beethoven Silver - 10 Marks

East Germany — Ironically, Beethoven, honored by this issue of East Germany, was born in 1770 in Bonn, now the capitol of West Germany. He died in Vienna in 1827. This coin with an incused

edge design, commemorate the 200th anniversary of Beethoven's birth. A giant among composers, this musician who became deaf in 1801, is considered by many to be the greatest composer who ever lived.

**Y33 1972 Johannes Brahms Copper-Nickel - 5 Marks**

**East Germany —** This great composer was born in Hamburg in 1833 and died in Vienna in 1897. His numerous compositions include the popular four symphonies. This coin is unusual because it does not contain a likeness of the composer. The obverse includes his name and the first two measures of the beautiful horn theme from the fourth movement of Brahms's Symphony No. 1. The reverse carries the state insignia of the German Democratic Republic (East Germany).

**Y54 1975 Johann Sebastian Bach Silver - 20 Marks**

Bach was born in Eisenach in 1685 and died in Leipzig in 1750. The volume of his music is staggering. His complete published works fill sixty huge volumes. Similar to the issue of Brahms, the obverse of this coin carries some notation from a Bach composition and his signature. There is no likeness of Bach on the coin.



**Y57 1976 Carl Maria Von Weber Silver - 10 Marks**

**East Germany —** Born in Entin, Oldenburg in 1788, this coin commemorates the 150th anniversary of the death of Weber in London in 1826. Suffering from tuberculosis, he had come to London on commission to produce "Oberon," an opera in English. He died before he could return to his home in Dresden.

**Y131 1970 Ludwig Van Beethoven Silver - 5 Marks**

**West Germany —** Like their eastern brethern, West Germany issued a commemorative coin marking the 200th anniversary of the birth of Beethoven. This coin was not released until September, 1971, and followed the issue of a special commemorative stamp.

## **Hungary**

Unlike Czechoslovakia, Hungarian commemorative coins do not reflect the influence of Russian occupation. Most Hungarian issues apparently were restruck to meet collector demands.



Y47 1936 Franz Liszt Silver - 2 Pengo

This "many-faceted" composer and pianist was born in Raiding in 1811 and died in Bayreuth, Bavaria in 1886. He was spiritual yet earthly; idealistic yet insincere; and egocentric yet humble. In Rome, for example, he spent his days in the cloister of the Church of Santa Maria in prayer yet one German biographer uncovered twenty-six major love affairs, some of which yielded illegitimate offsprings. A second series of coins honoring this composer was issued in 1961.

Y82	1961 Franz Liszt	{	Silver - 25 Forint
Y83			Silver - 50 Forint
Y84			Gold - 50 Forint
Y85			Gold - 100 Forint
Y86			Gold - 500 Forint

These coins mark the 150th anniversary of the birth of Liszt. Only Hungary issued gold coins honoring musicians. Liszt is perhaps best remembered for his piano music, especially the Hungarian Rhapsodies, Liebestraum and the orchestral composition, Les Preludes. Did you know this was the source of one of the themes from the Lone Ranger show?

Y87	1961 Bela Bartok	{	Silver - 25 Forint
Y88			Silver - 50 Forint
Y89			Gold - 50 Forint
Y90			Gold - 100 Forint
Y91			Gold - 500 Forint

These coins commemorate the 80th anniversary of the birth of this composer. Bartok was born in Transylvania in 1881 and died in New York City in 1945. He drew his musical inspirations from the folk music of his native Hungary.

Y99	1967 Zoltan Kodaly	{	Silver - 25 Forint
Y100			Silver - 50 Forint
Y101			Silver - 100 Forint
Y102			Gold - 500 Forint
Y103			Gold -1000 Forint

These coins, including the silver 100 Forint and gold 1000 Forint, commemorate the 85th anniversary of the birth of this contemporary composer who was born in Kecskemet, Hungary in 1882. Like his friend Bartok, his musical compositions are shaped by the highly stylistic traits of the Hungarian folk song.

## Poland

Along with "regular" issues, Poland released pattern of "proba" coins which were rejected designs. These were often minted in the thousands and offered for sale to collectors.

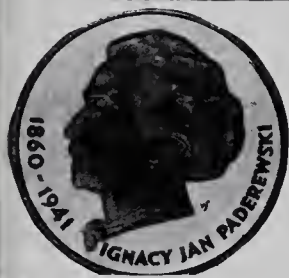
The word "PROBA" is inscribed on these issues.

Y66 1972 Frederic Chopin Silver - 50 Zlotych

Chopin was the foremost composer of piano music. He was born near Warsaw in 1810 and died in Paris in 1849. This composer, who often struggled hours and sometimes days to perfect a melody, wrote his famous "Minute Waltz" in a matter of minutes as an imitation of his mistress's Pekingese dog.

Several different patterns are available honoring this composer and pianist. Some are struck in nickel and silver and one features a 3/4 view of a bust of Chopin, (See numbers "M-2" and "M-2A" on page 1210 of the Krause Standard Catalog of World Coins).

Y77 1975 Ignacy Paderewski Silver - 100 Zlotych



This Polish pianist was born in 1860 in Kurilovka. Did you know he was the Prime Minister of his native Poland in 1919? He died in New York in 1941.

## United States

Although the United States has struck a number of commemorative coins, only one denotes a musical theme.

1936 Stephen Foster Silver - Half Dollar

This 1936 commemorative half dollar commonly called the "Cincinnati commemorative half dollar" honors the 50th anniversary of the city of Cincinnati as a center of music. It features a bust of Stephen Foster on the obverse. This American composer (1826-1864) wrote such songs as "Oh Susannah" and "Old Folks At Home."



## COINS AND MUSIC

Some nations have issued coins that depict musical devices such as musical instruments, without honoring any particular musician. The Albania 25 Leke coin authorized in 1968 depicts two sword dancers with a third man accompanying the dancers on a drum. Estonia, now part of the Soviet Union, released a coin (Y18) to commemorate the tenth National Singing Festival in 1933. The device of a music lyre is on the obverse behind which is the Musical conservatory in Tallinn. The denomination is 1 Kroon.

Of course, Ireland has utilized the Harp as a device on coins for several hundred years. A bowed instrument called a "Crwth" was drummed by the Ancient Celtic nations and was later called a "crot" and "cruit." Thus the harp is an integral part of Irish history.

This usage on its coinage resulted in the oldest "musical" coins of America. The St. Patrick half pence and farthing believed brought to America in 1681 by Mark Newby, both contain a figure of the king plucking a harp. The Hibernia half-pennies of 1722-23 and the farthing contains a harp near the seated figure as well as do the tokens of 1760.

Over two hundred years later, competing in an open contest to design reverses on three coins to commemorate the Bicentennial of the United States, Jack L. Ahr's entry was selected. It featured a Colonial drummer facing to the left with a victory torch encircled by thirteen stars.

Like the coin of Albania depicting dancing, Israel issued a 5 pound commemorative coin in 1959 (Y18) marking the return of Jewish exiles from all over the world. This beautiful coin shows a group of people dancing the national dance, "Hora."



Israel has also incorporated a Lyre on several coins. The bronze 5 Prutot (Y3) issued in 1949 and the 25 Agorot (Y26) first issued in 1961 in aluminum-bronze and later (1974) in copper-nickel both contain the likeness of this ancient instrument. The "kinnor," a type of Lyre, is mentioned in the scriptures.



## PAPER CURRENCY HONORING MUSICIANS

Although the number of musicians appearing on paper money is limited, the topical collector will find the opportunity to collect both coins and currency dealing with music. Again, Austria, as she had done with commemorative coins, issued more currency to honor musicians than any other country.

### Austria

Three notgeld notes (10, 20 and 50 Heller) from Oberndorf were issued in 1920 honoring Fr. Joseph Mohr, who wrote the words, and Franz Gruber, who wrote the music of the immortal Christmas Carol, "Silent Night," which was composed in 1818.



Three recent notes have been issued as circulating currency by Austria to honor musicians. In 1950, a 20 Schilling note (Pick #130) was issued honoring Joseph Haydn whose portrait is on the right side



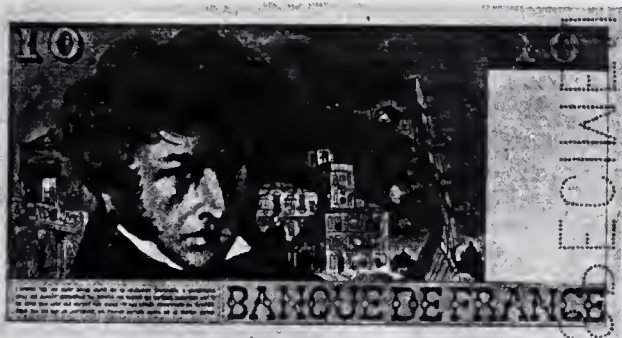
the front of this bill. Anton Bruckner was similarly honored on the 100 Schilling note (Pick #135) issued in 1954. The last note to honor composers issued by Austria was released in 1960. This 100 Schilling note (Pick #137) contains the picture of the "Waltz King", Johann Strauss.

## Czechoslovakia

One note honoring a musician was issued by this Iron Curtain country. The Narodna Banka Ceskoslovenka (Czechoslovakian National Bank) issued a 5000 Kronen bill in 1945 (Pick #74) with a picture of the Bohemian composer, Bedrich Smetana on the right side of the obverse.

## France

France issued a 10 Franc note in 1974 honoring the composer Hector Berlioz (1803-1869).



The portrait is on both the obverse and reverse of this note, commemorating the occasion of the first public performance of his requiem."

## Germany

Like Austria, several notgeld notes were issued shortly after the First World War containing a likeness of Bach. A 25 Pfennig and a 50 Pfennig note came from Wartburg-Eisenach, another 50 Pfennig note issued by Mulhausen with a letter from Bach on the reverse and a 5 Pfennig note from Urnstadt all honoring this composer.

A new series of notes were issued by the German Federal Republic (West Germany) in 1965. The 20 Deutsche Mark note (Pick #20) features a large violin and clarinet on the reverse.

## Italy

Two notes on different paper were issued by the Banca d'Italia (Bank of Italy) honoring the operatic composer Giuseppe Verdi (1813-1901). The 1962 (Pick #82) and 1969 (Pick #89) 1000 Lire notes have the famous La Scala opera house on the reverse. The 1962 issue is on blue, red and brown paper while the 1969 issue is on a blue and lilac paper with metallic fibres. Both contain a portrait of the composer on the obverse.

## **Spain**

In 1970, Spain released a 100 Pesetas note honoring the brilliant Spanish composer, Manuel de Falla.

### **CONCLUSION**

Are you interested in a topical collection? Do you like music? Consider a collection of coins and currency with a musical theme. With the exception of the Hungarian gold coins, all the coins and notes are available in price ranges most collectors can afford. Such a topical collection is both historical and beautiful.

Perhaps many more issues will become available. Certainly many are deserving. Men like George Gershwin and Aaron Copland from the United States; Claude Debussy and Maurice Ravel of France; George Handel and Ralph Vaughn Williams of England; and Nicholas Rimsky-Korsakov and Peter Tchaikovsky of Russia, to name just a few, have become immortal through their musical compositions. These and others deserve to be honored and remembered by their homelands.



The End

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### **DEADLINE FOR NEXT ISSUE**

***The publication date for the Winter 1977 issue of the NASC Quarterly is 1 December 1977 and the deadline for contributions and news items intended for inclusion in that issue is:***

***1 November 1977***

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## ***Correspondence from the***

## ***Corresponding Secretary***



### **NEW MEMBERSHIPS**

<b><u>NUMBER</u></b>	<b><u>NAME</u></b>	<b><u>SPONSOR</u></b>
2024	Tom Fitzgerald	Myron McClaflin
2025	Richard R. Navarro	Carol Linn
2026	Gary M. Sanner	William Sadler
2027	Mel Wacks	Murray Singer
2028	L. C. Rutherford	Carol Linn
2029	Brian G. Kestner	Jim Waldorf
2030	Alfred D. Bradley	Al Hoogeveen
2031	Richard P. Henke	Mel Kohl
2032	Don Holladay	J. H. McInnis, Jr.
2033	Zachary Weaver	Carol Linn
2034	Michael E. Harris	Carol Linn
2035	Robert V. Fox	Robert Scott
2036	James M. Throne	Carol Linn
2037	Victor J. Lazzaro	Carol Linn

### **NEW SUSTAINING MEMBERS**

SM 179	Jerry Yahalom
180	Brian G. Kestner

To all of our New Members, we wish to extend a very sincere WELCOME! If we do not have the opportunity to meet each one of you throughout the year, then we hope to meet you during our 23rd convention in February. We look forward to your continued membership with NASC. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me.

**FOR SUSTAINING MEMBERS** — At the April board meeting the Board of Governors voted to provide a special ribbon for our Sustaining Members during our 23rd convention. When you register, please be sure to state that you are a Sustaining Member and display your permanent membership card.

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## **HELPFUL HINTS ON EXHIBITING**

by Sally and Ralph Marx

"How hard is it to make an exhibit?" "I do not have anything to exhibit." "My material is not rare." "Everybody wins except me!" "Why do I lose?" etc., etc.

Ask yourself these questions and at the end of this article we will give you some of our answers!

1. Subject—one coin, one item of paper money, etc., can win a "Best Of Show".
  - a. Title: both the subject and title go hand in hand. The title must describe the subject and also create interest in the subject. Example: "Paper Money Of Israel" or "Examples of Israel Banknotes"—which is the better title?
    1. "Paper Money Of Israel"—this is an all-inclusive title. If you use it then every banknote of Israel must be in the exhibit.
    2. "Examples Of Israel Banknotes"—this title can cover types or just a few notes and still be complete.
    3. The wrong title can affect the exhibit in many of the judging standards.
  - b. Introduction — a general discussion of the exhibit, what it's all about, may include something shown in the title that is not actually in the display.
2. Numismatic information — a lot of exhibitors feel that everybody knows what is on display and so why write up the information!
  - a. Never believe the above because we all can learn something new!
  - b. The new collector or his family may not know.
  - c. Most importantly, the judge will not play guesswork!
  - d. Title, purpose, general statement about the exhibit and minimum information stated clearly and concisely make up numismatic information.
3. Originality and Arrangement — this can make or break the exhibit!
  - a. Theme as expressed in the title.
  - b. The exhibit must have unity, with all parts relating to the theme and title.
  - c. Employ maps, pictures, flags, etc., effectively — do not let the "extra stuff" take away from the material on display or distract the viewer's attention.
  - d. Does the exhibit possess distinction and purpose?

- e. Is the exhibit material arranged in a pleasing manner having balance, simplicity, and neatness.
  - f. Has the exhibitor indicated clearly where the exhibit begins and ends?
  - g. Does the background and arrangement add to the display or has the exhibitor tried to use gimmicks that take away from the exhibit?
4. Completeness — Condition — Rarity —
- a. Completeness again goes back to the title and subject as mentioned above.
  - b. Condition — all coins should be in the same condition for a balanced exhibit.

Do not use different grades (uncirculated coins and circulated coins in the same exhibit) if at all possible. It is better to show a circulated set than a mixed set.

- c. **Rarity** — selling price is not a criterion of rarity! Secure the difficult-to-get items that add spice to a display.

Now our answers to the above questions! Our exhibits are usually made in one day. Our material is not always rare but usually wins on numismatics and title. Everybody has a coin or special thing to exhibit and it does not have to be rare. That is where originality and arrangement come into the act. If Everybody wins except you, then maybe you can learn by listening and looking. Check all the winners and see if they follow the above four points. Have fun exhibiting!

(Editor's note: another source of help is the exhibit judge. Most shows will not identify the judges for their particular show but it isn't hard to determine the names of some of the people who are qualified exhibit judges — and many of them will be happy to go over a particular exhibit with its owner to point out its good points and bad ones.)

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## BETTON HONORED BY CANADIANS

NASC Past President James L. Betton, Jr., was reelected to the Board Of Governors of the Canadian Numismatic Association at CNA's August convention in Vancouver, B.C. Jim was also recently elected to the Board of the Canadian Paper Money Society.



SECOND ANNUAL CONVENTION  
*Numismatic Association of Southern California*  
NEW HOTEL CLARK — LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA  
FEBRUARY 23, 1937

Do you recall when Edmund Hillary and his native guide, Tenzing, made their historic climb of Mt. Everest? Coming down from the peak Hillary suddenly lost his footing. Tenzing held the line taut and kept them both from falling by digging his ax into the ice. Later Tenzing refused any special credit for saving Hillary's life; he considered it a routine part of the job. As he put it: "Mountain climbers always help each other."

Should the rest of us be any different?





THE SUCCESSFUL manager of men derives his satisfaction from achieving with people. He takes real pride in surrounding himself with strong people and in helping them achieve. He recognizes that in a world which is changing economically and socially and which is accumulating technical knowledge rapidly, he and his people are confronted with the need to cope skillfully with these changes. To keep his business competitive in an ever-changing society, he holds a very strategic position. Helping his people grow with the times is his opportunity and his challenge.

WOODEN MONEY BUFFS  
HONOR DENNIS FAMILY

Wayne M. Dennis was named new President of the International Order of Wooden Money Collectors (IOWMC) at its recent General Meeting in Atlanta (held in conjunction with the ANA convention). Wayne was also issued an IOWMC Service Award for his work (with Thomas B. Hudson) on the new seventh edition of "The Guide Book Of Wooden Money".

Not to be outdone by the male side of the family, Virginia Dennis was presented with an Outstanding Service Award for her work with IOWMC's popular raffles.

**From the San Bernardino County Coin Club's "Coin Press":  
Something To Think About!**

The youth in Numismatics is a person who is going to carry on what you have started. According to the traditions of collecting he is going to sit where you are sitting and attend to those things which you think are important. You may adopt all of the hobbies' policies you please, but how they will be carried out depends on him. He will assume control of your collections, auctions and conventions. He is going to move in and take over your shops, clubs, libraries and publications. All your books are going to be judged, praised or condemned by him. The future and fate of Numismatics as you know it is in his hands. So it might be well to pay him some attention.

**WOODEN MONEY REFERENCE  
UPDATED BY LOCAL NUMISMATISTS**

The Seventh Edition of "The Guide Book Of Wooden Money" has been released for distribution by its Editors, well-known local numismatists and wood experts Wayne M. Dennis and Thomas B. Hudson. The new edition lists all known "official" United States wooden money from 1931 through 1976 and includes a price guide. It also includes information on the reason for issue in most cases.

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from "Plus Ultra"—the bulletin of the Azteca Numismatic Society:  
In "Ancient Mexico" by Frederick Peterson we find the following  
reference:

"On the site of the National Palace at Tenochtitlan, was found a stone, that is now in the National Museum of Mexico, Calle Tocalli de la Guerra Sagrada - The Temple of the Sacred War. The stone has been imitated by some pick-happy amateur geologist. The back of the stone still shows a carving of the cactus with the eagle upon it. The prickly pears of the cactus are stylized human hearts, food for the eagle, who represents the Sun God."

In the eagle's beak is an intertwined hieroglyphic depicting fire and water, called Atlechinolli, which represents warfare and not a serpent. However, the error has been perpetuated forever in the Great Seal of Mexico.



### ***NASC PAST PRESIDENTS***

1955-56 Scott McCormac	1966-67 Walter T. Snyder
1956-57 Earl Whitehead*	1967-68 Edwin C. Borgolte
1957-58 W. R. "Bill" Fanning*	1968-69 Foster Hall
1958-59 Charles Ruby	1969-70 Peggy E. Borgolte
1959-60 C. A. "Slim" Dunbar*	1970-71 James L. Betton
1960-61 Ben Williams	1971-72 Benjamin M. Abelson
1961-62 Richard P. Goodson*	1972-73 William O. Wisslead
1962-63 George Bennett	1973-74 Gordon Z. Greene*
1963-64 Thomas H. Wood	1974-75 James J. Waldorf
1964-65 Karl M. Brainard*	1975-76 Dr. Sol Taylor
1965-66 Murray G. Singer	1976-77 Raymond R. Reinoehl

\*Deceased



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Club, which became one of our most active members. I visited all the member clubs, began to organize a Speaker's Bureau, and also planned for educational films to be loaned to member clubs.

It was a stirring and vital time and organization was the key word which fostered our eventual success as the largest regional club in the U.S.



# CLUB NEWS

Of course it doesn't happen often, but once in a while Ye Ed goofs up. Last issue had one of those exceedingly rare occurrences—a real, genuine “boo-boo” in the Member Club List. The worst thing about it was that, as Harry Truman once said, “The buck stops here.” There was no way Ye Ed could pass the blame along — or even spread it out a little. By no stretch of the calendar can it be explained — The Bay Cities Coin Club does **not** meet on the 3rd Wednesday! There was supposed to be a change of mailing address, but the skillful typing of Ye Ed added a change of meeting date as well — Bay Cities did, does, and as far as we know always will meet on the **3rd Thursday**. Sorry about that!

We regret to announce that Assistant Editor Mike Aron was forced by the press of personal business to give up his work on the Quarterly. Most regrettable — he did a nice job on the Club News last issue.



## **AZTECA NUMISMATIC SOCIETY**

Azteca awarded Life Memberships #6 and #7 to Don Carlos Gaytan and Clyde Hubbard in April at Mexico City for their extensive work in Mexican Numismatics. In May, Azteca V.P. Jose Castaneda gave a short talk on “Cartones: Fractional Currency Of Mexico”. June's meeting was Azteca's annual banquet held in conjunction with C.O.I.N.—Dr. Charles Aby provided a program on “The Hookneck Eight Reale”. July's regular meeting featured Show 'n Tell, etc. Eugene N. Geller spoke on “Pillars And Portraits” in August. The Society's September meeting was held in the form of a 15th Birthday Party at Barragans mexican restaurant.

## **BAKERSFIELD COIN CLUB**

John Dilley of Taft, CA, spoke on “U.S. Cents, 1793 To The Present” in May.

## **BAY CITIES COIN CLUB**

U.S. Secret Service Agent Richard McDrew provided an illustrated program on “Counterfeiting U.S. Currency ”in May. Joel Gabrelov “... filled in at the last minute...” in June with a program on “Gold Coins As An Investment”. William O. Wisslead (NASC Past President) spoke in July on “The U.S. Branch Mint at Dalonega, GA”. In August, Bay Cities featured a slide show on “Medieval Coinage Of Western Europe” from the 4th century to the early 16th century.

## **CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION OF TOKEN COLLECTORS**

July marked CATC's 20th birthday and a special party-meeting was held at the home of member Edrick Miller. To commemorate the occasion, CATC issued a special plastic **TOKEN** — specimens are available to interested parties at 25c plus a SASE from Club Sec'y Elaine Willahan, 516 W. 99th St., Los Angeles 90044. In September, the token collectors gathered for their bi-monthly meeting at the home of Frank Roselinsky. The program consisted of a trading session and a review of the American Vecturists Association convention held in Carson City, Nevada, in August.

## **CALIFORNIA EXONUMIST SOCIETY**

Tom Fitzgerald was the featured speaker at the CES Forum at the Convention Of International Numismatics in June. His topic was "Those Magnificent Papal Medals". July brought CES's 16th Annual Collectibles Show — reports indicate a highly successful affair. Virginia Silver brought a special exhibit of "CES Medals And Tokens", made up of various items issued by CES over the years.

## **CALIFORNIA WOODEN MONEY ASSOCIATION**

**CORRECTION:** In the Spring issue of the Quarterly we mentioned Earl O'Cathey's talk at CWMA's forum held at the NASC convention. We are advised that there were actually four speakers at the forum — the others were Alva Christensen, Ethel Stone, and Corky Ayers.

"Other Hobbies" were featured in May, with material ranging from perfume bottles to (?). In June, J.H. McInnis, Jr., provided a talk titled "Souvenirs At Face Value". The club's annual Pot Luck Dinner was held in July. The CWMA bulletin for July noted the death of Charter Member Cliff Kreizel. August's program was provided by Earl O'Cathey who described many of the items in his private museum. Since the club's meetings are held in Earl's Eroc Hall (which houses the museum collection), he was able to show examples and even demonstrate some of them. CWMA notes the celebration of members' Awanda and Corky Ayers 40th wedding anniversary in August.

## **CLUTECH-JPL NUMISMATIC SOCIETY**

A film of the Franklin Mint and its production techniques was shown in May. In June, the Society picked up the tab for tickets to the Dodgers game as the group held a "Baseball Night". July's program featured a slide show from the NASC Audio-Visual collection (but Ed can't remember which one). Mr. John A. Venable returned to Pasadena (where he had taught for many years in the public schools) to give August's program talk on "Coin Grading". September's regular 3rd-Wednesday meeting was cancelled in favor of a special outing — a day at Magic Mountain.

## **CONEJO VALLEY COIN CLUB**

Andy Hall spoke on "Hard Times Tokens" at the club's June meeting. Their June bulletin notes that CVCC member Julie Bascou won Best Of Show in the Junior Division (also first Place) at the Ventura County Coin Club's Spring Coin Show. In July, Jim Sharp presented a program talk on Mexican Coins. Helen Coombs revealed that "Coins Have Tales To Tell" in August. Also featured was a White Elephant Sale with proceeds split 50-50 between the club and the seller. September's meeting featured "Mini Talks" and a Back-To-School Quiz.

## **COUNCIL OF INTERNATIONAL NUMISMATICS (C.O.I.N.)**

The "Fantastic Fourteenth" Convention Of International Numismatics was held in June. This show is one of the "biggies" and any attempt to cover it in a paragraph or so is futile. It was a great show and was written up extensively in the July 13 issue of Coin World (page 69 and 70).

## **CULVER CITY COIN CLUB**

Club President Hazel Waite provided a program talk and exhibit on "Memorabilia Of Charles Augustus Lindbergh" in May, the 50th anniversary of his historic flight. In June, the Smiling Irishman (NASC President "Mac" McClafin for the benefit of the real strangers in the reading audience) and his Coin-O machine showed up to share the program feature with a white elephant sale. Ed Segal (Club 1st V.P.) spoke in August on "The Minting Process And How Errors Occur".

## **DOWNEY NUMISMATISTS**

The Franklin Mint's enthusiastic and peripatetic representative Ralph "Curly" Mitchell provided a showing of the film "The Granite Lady" (on the San Francisco Mint) in June. Downey's June bulletin notes the death in May of Club Past President Lester M. "Bud" Ellis. NASC Pres. Myron "Mac" McClafin brought his Coin-O machine to Downey in July. August's feature was a White Elephant Sale — as their bulletin described it "... many spectacular bargains changed places of storage." Charles Fairall spoke at Downey's regular September meeting; his topic was "Suggested Inventory For The Coin Collector". September also brought Downey's 12th annual coin show — more about this in the next issue.

## **EAST LOS ANGELES COIN CLUB**

Two of ELACC's members, Ed Rico and Richard Thorne, each provided a short talk on his favorite numismatic collection in May. In June, ELACC celebrated its 21st birthday with a party. Bingo and special door prizes were featured. In June, ELACC also participated in the 6th annual Fiesta at the Sancho Adobe Historical Site in Montebello. George Baude provided July's program on "Coins And Currency Of The Mexican Revolution".



## **TANA UNITED NUMISMATISTS**

In May, the FUN bunch played the "Money" game and also their own version of the "Liar's Club" (like the TV show version). Its regular meeting featured "Other Hobbies", including thimbles, cards, baseball cards, political buttons, etc. Later in June, FUN held its 3rd annual coin show. Best Of Show (adult) exhibit award went to Virginia Finley. Best Of Show (junior section) was won by Ted Z. July's program featured a representative from the San Bernardino County Parks and Recreation Dept. speaking on the Parks in Bernardino County, with illustrative slides. August's meeting held annual elections and a program talk on "Wills" by attorney Lopez. NEW OFFICERS (as of Sept. 1977) are: Pres., Bill Z.; 1st V.P., Leonard Curlett; 2nd V.P., Harold Katzman; Rec., Mrs. Freddie Grant; Cor. Sec'y., Nona Moore; Treas., Norman Z.; Librarian, Fred Lopez. Outgoing Pres. Alex Jaramillo and his Vicki announced the birth of a daughter Sonja Theresa on Aug. 13.

## **TY-NINER COIN CLUB**

June's program featured "Show And Tell: plus Coin-O. The club has been considering a merger, but decided to "go it alone". In July, Ron Marx substituted for his wife Sally who had been scheduled speaker. Ralph spoke on Ancient Coins with illustrative exhibits. June featured Show And Tell and September's program was Bingo.

## **NTAIN VALLEY COIN CLUB**

Club V.P. Gene Swonger provided June's program on "PNC's" with a very fine exhibit of Philatelic-Numismatic material. James Ray spoke and exhibited "So-Called Dollars" in July. August's meeting was boosted as a "fun" evening. In September, Jack Detwiler spoke on "Civil War Tokens And Store Cards".

## **NET NUMISMATISTS CLUB**

April's program featured a slide show titled "Types Of Commemorative U.S. Half Dollars" narrated by club V.P. Roy Phares. Club's bulletin indicates that the club had a four-case exhibit at Hemet Federal S & L in conjunction with National Coin Week. Artus Hoogeveen expounded on "My Years Collecting Copper, Silver, And Gold" in May. July's meeting was scheduled as a party to celebrate the Club's third anniversary.

## **RAEL COIN CLUB OF LOS ANGELES**

Milton Fishgold filled in for scheduled speaker Mel Levine in May. Milt spoke on the Ninth AINA Tour to Israel. Milt's presentation was supplemented by a mini-talk on "Temple Tax Shekels" by Paul Z. In June, Club 1st V.P. Alan Abelson presented 'A Short History Of The Political Scene In Israel'. The month's mini-talk was "Perspectives On Israel's Coins" by Eliahou Shaya. Helen Coombs spoke on "The Twelve Tribes Of Israel" in July, delving into the symbols and

roots of Israel. Mel Wacks provided a mini-talk on "The Silver Shekel Of Tyre" and displayed a specimen in AU condition (not bad for a 2000 year old coin). ICCLA's July bulletin notes the death of long-time member Lester "Bud" Ellis. In August, Mel Levine spoke on "The Arab Boycott And Its Effect On The State Of Israel"; the mini-talk was by Cyril Magnus on "Re-Construction Of Ancient Musical Instruments From Symbols On Jewish Coins". ICCLA's August bulletin notes the birth of Tali Esther Abelson, daughter of Club 1st V.P. Alan Abelson and wife Aliza and grand-daughter of Club Past Presidents Ben and Claire Abelson (Ben is also a Past President of NASC). Also noted was the Bar Mitzvah of Edward Arthur Rubin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Rubin. August's meeting also featured a Pot Luck 12th Anniversary Party, held immediately after the regular meeting — over 70 members and guests were present. In September, Mr. Owen Wagner discussed "The 1958 Proof 5-Pound Menorah Coin — Genuine Or Polished?" Sylvia Wolf presented a mini-talk on "Palestine Coins Of 1927".

### **ISRAEL NUMISMATIC SOCIETY OF LOS ANGELES**

May's program feature was a slide show produced and presented by Cliff Roth on "Israel's Seasons Greetings" (New Year tokens). "The Paper Money Of Israel", a slide program from INS of Cleveland, Ohio, narrated by Jerry Yahalom was the main program feature in June. In addition, Cliff Roth inaugurated a new feature — "The Subject Of The Evening" in which he examined "The Pruta Series". Program Chairman Jerry Yahalom presented his own program in July — his topic was "Books On Israel Numismatics" (recommendations for a reference library). The Subject Of The Evening talk was on "The Agora Series" by David Gotlieb. Dr Herbert Drapkin provided a program on David Ben-Gurion at the August meeting. The Subject Of The Evening presentation was on "Miscellaneous Tokens Of Israel" by Jerry Yahalom.

### **ISRAEL NUMISMATIC SOC. OF SAN FERNANDO VALLEY**

Club President Dr Herbert Drapkin presented Part 2 of his slide show on David Ben Gurion in June. In July, Victor and Hermine Solomon presented a program slide-show and talk on the most recent AINA study tour to Israel. August's program was a Quiz on the Trade Coins Of Israel, conducted by Jerry Yahalom — with prizes for the most knowledgeable (to Vic Solomon) and also for the least knowledgeable (who wasn't named in the bulletin).

### **ISRAEL NUMISMATIC SOCIETY OF SAN GABRIEL VALLEY**

NEW OFFICERS (as of April 1977) are: Pres., Donna Sims; V.P., Leonard Hammer; Rec. Sec'y., Arnold Cooklin; Cor. Sec'y., Sally Marx; Treas., Nate Bromberg. A gala Installation Banquet was held at the Morris Steak House in Alhambra. Sally Marx was M-C and Virginia Culver served as Installing Officer. The club's regular

May meeting was cancelled because of a conflict with a C.O.I.N. board meeting. June's meeting was held in conjunction with C.O.I.N. and featured the noted dealer in Israel's numismatics J.J. Van Grover speaking on "Numismatics Of Israel". Jim Silver spoke in July on "The Paper Money Of Turkey, Palestine, and Israel". Milton Fishgold presented "Jerusalem, Then And Now" in August. In September, Donna and Michael Sims presented a program on the 9th Annual INA Tour to Israel. The September Bulletin of INS-SGV notes that Mr and Mrs Leonard Sterling recently celebrated their 51st wedding anniversary.

### **LAWNDALE COIN CLUB**

Club President Roy Robbins was the surprise (and Surprized) speaker at Lawndale's April meeting. Seems nobody got around to telling Roy about it until after the meeting got under way! He spoke on "The Great Seal"—presumably symbolic rather than mammalian. Club V.P. Henry Cutting presented a program on "U.S. Paper Money" in May. June's program featured NASC President Myron "Mac" McClaflin and his marvelous Coin-O machine. The June meeting marked Lawndale's 18th anniversary. Bill Sadler spoke on "Numismatic Nostalgia" in July. NASC President "Mac" McClaflin returned to the program spot in August, this time speaking on the "King Of Kings".

### **E.R.C. NUMISMATIC SOCIETY**

John Nichols was the lucky winner of an EF 1903 British Gold Sovereign at the club's June 15 meeting. Periodically they have "Bonus Drawings" with extra-special prizes. July and August featured the "regular auctions and raffles". September brought a Display Night program and also another Bonus Drawing—for a BU 1910 French 20 Fr Gold Piece.

### **LOS ANGELES COIN CLUB**

Elizabeth Wisslead provided the program feature for LACC's June meeting—"R.S. Yeoman's Red Book". George Baude spoke on "Coins And Currency Of The American Political Scene" in July. LACC joins with other local clubs in noting the death of member and past officer Lester M. "Bud" Ellis in May. Albert Hall's August program discussed "Nellie Taloe Ross, First Woman Director Of The U.S. Mint". September found Club President Jerry Yahalom speaking to LACC on "State Bank Note Engravings".

### **MONTEREY PARK COIN CLUB**

Bingo, raffles, auction, and socializing have been the watchwords this summer at Monterey Park. They report that attendance has been somewhat (a common complaint during these vacation times) that those attending seem to be enjoying themselves.



## **NORTH HOLLYWOOD COIN CLUB**

Alburtus Hoogeveen was the featured speaker at NHCC's June meeting but his topic wasn't specified in their bulletin. July brought a change of meeting schedule for the month. They had an afternoon swimming pool and pot-luck dinner get together with an "other hobbies" show-and-tell session. In August, Milt Fishgold spoke on his recent tour of Israel. September's meeting was devoted to the club's annual Auction Night.

## **NORTHROP AIRCRAFT DIVISION COIN CLUB**

"The Making Of A Medal" was the title of the talk given by J.H. McInnis, Jr, at the 30th Anniversary Meeting of the Northrop Coin Club in September. The club marked the occasion by issuing a commemorative medal. Details on the medal and its cost and ordering procedures may be obtained by writing: Northrop Coin Club, 11260 Overland Ave., #20-B, Culver City, CA 90230.



## **NORWALK CALIFORNIA COIN CLUB**

Rush Swick provided June's program — reminiscences of 40 years of collecting and related matters. In July, J.H. McInnis, Jr, presented "The Making Of A Medal" — a slide-show and talk. August's main event was Coin-O. Tom Fitzgerald was guest speaker in September, with "U.S. Large Cents."

## **NUMISMATIC COUNCIL OF ORANGE COUNTY**

NCOC is busily finalizing the details for their 10th annual coin show (see Calendar of Events for details). **Note** that the location has been changed from the originally-announced spot. Try the Sheraton/Newport Beach on October 8-9.

## **ORANGE COUNTY COIN CLUB**

May's program featured G. Lee Kuntz of Masterpiece Medallions on "The Sinking Of A Die". In June, William Pannier advised those attending to "Know Your Dealer". The club congratulated Dr. and Mrs Vernor G. Rich on their 50th wedding anniversary, but also noted the death of member Claire R. Dewey in May. "Other Hobby Night" was the name of the game in July. Dr Verner Rich was program speaker in August; his topic was "Ancient Japanese Coins".

## **ORANGE COUNTY NUMISMATIC ERROR CLUB**

"How To Search For Mint Errors In A Mint-Sewn Bag Of Cents", as discussed by Club V.P. Don Wallace, was OCNEC's program topic for May. The search proved too much for one evening's time, so it continued over to the June meeting where it shared the program spot with a continuation of the club's on-going series on the Minting Process. July featured "... a good old numismatic swap meet!" The club's July bulletin reports that they learned quite a bit about searching, but that the *finding* wasn't so good in their particular "Mint-Sewn Bag" of cents — better luck next time! August's program was to be either a slide-show on coin errors or a display and talk on paper money errors.

## **ORANGE COUNTY PNC CLUB**

February's program theme was a Show-And-Tell of Presidential Inaugural material (especially that related to incoming President Jimmy Carter). March brought both an "Other Hobbies" show-and-tell and a talk by George Gaudino on the reasons why many people begin collecting PNCovers. April's meeting special feature was an Exhibit Night keyed to the National Coin Week activities, with judging of exhibits and prizes for the winner. Out of approximately 20 exhibits, Club President Walter Ostromecki, Jr., won PNC Best-Of Show for his exhibit of stamped and cancelled \$2.00 Federal Reserve Notes. Jim Heine, of Personalized First Day Covers, was the guest speaker in May, speaking on the PNCovers produced by his firm. June's program centered around a White Elephant Sale plus an "open theme" Show-And-Tell session. Subsequent reports are too good to paraphrase; the following is quoted verbatim from the July "P.N.C. INKS", the club's bulletin:

"This event will become an annual one with the club, ... We had a wacky meeting with everything from plants to books and magazines to a slicer showing up at the sale."

Sounds like a fun evening. The club's July program was scheduled as an open "Show-And-Tell", but primarily for PNC producers rather than just for members. Unfortunately, only one producer showed up — fortunately, enough members came prepared to show off their latest "goodies" to rescue the occasion. John Baker was the guest speaker in August, speaking on some of his favorite PNC's.

## **REDLANDS COIN CLUB**

In March, Albert Hall presented a program on "Hard Times Tokens" with an accompanying display. April's program was furnished by the Rev. John D. Foerster, Pastor of the Redlands Lutheran Church, who presented a talk on Martin Luther — with a display of books and medals. One of his medals was a "box medal" about 1/4-inch

thick and 2-inches in diameter that opened to reveal several small individually hand-painted pictures. Only two of these are known and the other one is in the British Museum. Also in April, Virginia Hall placed a National Coin Week exhibit at the Richmond Corp. in Redlands — title: "Color In World Currency". May's program feature was a general discussion on "The Coins Of The 'D' Countries". In June, CSNA President John Lenker presented a slide program entitled 'United States Paper Money 1861-1923, Illustrated By \$5.00 Notes'. "Other Hobbies" was (were?) the highlight of the July meeting. Albert Hall presented a slide program in August entitled "Coins Of Christianity".

### **RIVERSIDE COIN CLUB**

**Note Name Change** — formerly known as University Numismatic Club. Ed Uhlig presented a talk on "Love Tokens" in March with a display of bracelets and other memorabilia made from silver dimes and quarters. In April, Ivar Melander led a discussion on the meanings and origins of words relating to numismatics. May brought the election and installation of the following **NEW OFFICERS**: Pres., Albert K. Hall; V.P., Mel Dittbenner; Sec'y., Virginia Hall; Tresa., Ray Campbell. CSNA President John Lenker served as Installing Officer. Mel Dittbenner spoke on "Collecting Foreign Coins". Other Hobbies" filled the program spot in June. In July, 12-year old Junior Member Ted Lopez presented a slide program on "Cartones: The Fractional Currency Of Mexico". Club Pres. Albert Hall provided August's program—a slide show on the 1965 New York World's Fair. with an exhibit of personal souvenirs.

### **SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY COIN CLUB**

Mr Dave Wood, of the San Bernardino Bank of America, provided June's program. His talk covered an unusual story of one Confederate Officer's family, starting in 1822 and carrying through Civil War days. This story is documented by a collection of letters (over 1500 altogether) spanning the period. In July, Bill Grant presented an Air Force Audio-Visual film, "Old Glory", on the history of the U.S. Flag. Member Ted Lopez won the Maurice M. Gould Memorial Best Junior Achievement Exhibit Award at COIN. August's theme was "Other Hobbies — From Abacuses To Zithers". William O. Wisslead (NASC Past President) delved into the story of "Lady Godiva, The Legend And Token", with slides showing the tokens struck in honor of this legendary lady.

### **SAN FERNANDO VALLEY COIN CLUB**

Milton Doctor told the story of "Peter, The United States Mint's Eagle" as the June meeting's program feature. In July, A.A. Bergmann guided attendees on "A Numismatic Trip To Mexico". August featured "Your Other Hobby" show-and-tell. On a different day in August, the



club had a picnic dinner with various games and activities. The club has had an unplanned **CHANGE OF MEETING PLACE**. Currently they are meeting at Coast Federal Savings, 10101 Riverside Dr., Toluca Lake — and their meeting dates are irregular. The following dates are scheduled: Oct. 19, Nov. 25, Dec. 23.

### **SANTA BARBARA COIN CLUB**

Mrs Lippincott spoke in June on the History of the Roman Emperors from the period of Roman mythology through the construction of the Colosseum in Rome (about 80 AD), with slide illustrations showing representative coins, artifacts, and architecture of the period. In July, Club Pres. Bill Hyder discussed "The Medallion Portraits Of Adolf Hitler" (based on the draft manuscript of a book co-authored by R.W. Colbert and Bill Hyder). Walker Carlton's topic in August was "Ancient Ships On Coins". Mr Carlton wrote a History Master's Degree Thesis on this subject. The club's August bulletin reports the discovery of a box of "lost" records of the club, recently "uncovered" in the garage of one of the members. Club Pres. Hyder and Sec'y. Lorraine Contreras are now attempting to reconstruct a history of the club from its founding on March 19, 1956, to the present.

### **SHAMROCK COIN CLUB**

April's meeting was cancelled due to a schedule conflict. In May, Ed Segal spoke on "Error Or Mistruck U.S. Coins". June's program featured Coin-O. J.H. McInnis, Jr, brought "Souvenirs At Face Value — Part I" to the Shamrockers in July. In August, George Baude discussed "Political Tokens, Medals And Currency". Coin-O returned in September.

### **SOUTHEASTERN SIERRA COIN CLUB**

The Club's 18th Annual Coin Festival was held in Bishop in May and was reported to have been very successful. In July, the program feature was a slide-show on "Types Of U.S. Commemorative Half Dollars" from the NASC Audio-Visual Library. In addition, NASC President McClafflin, V.P. McInnis, and Downey Numismatists Pres. Phyllis Duncan visited with Southeastern Sierra and each spoke briefly. The club's August bulletin notes the death of member John Vandenberg. September's activities centered around the club's annual picnic.

### **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA ANCIENT NUMISMATIC SOCIETY**

Harold Donald spoke on "Symbols And Things On Coins" at the May meeting of SCANS. In June, SCANS participated in COIN as one of the sponsoring organizations. July's regular meeting featured Dr. Paul Carning's presentation of "The Martyr Trail", a talk and slide-show about the time and area of the religious persecution of the Huguenots in Europe. "Rome On The Rhine", an illustrated talk on the

period of the Roman occupation of the territory along the Rhine River, was presented in August by Hans Rauch, well-known local paper money dealer and collector.

### **TORRANCE COIN CLUB**

Cy Phillips spoke on U.S. Coins in May. In June, Ralph "Curly" Mitchell provided a program which included a showing of "The Granite Lady"—about the San Francisco Mint. Club Bulletin Editor George Schumacher described a recent trip to Europe in July.

### **TRIANGLE COIN CLUB**

March marked Triangle's seventh anniversary — the occasion was celebrated with a decorated cake furnished by Ramona Gandi. In May, Jim Southard conducted a bingo program, with coin prizes to the winners. "Show-And-Tell" was the name of the game in June. The scheduled speaker for August was Sally Marx, but her topic wasn't listed.

### **VENTURA COUNTY COIN CLUB**

Ventura reports a very successful spring coin show (Sunday, May 1) with over 500 guests registered. There were 17 dealers and a number of exhibits. Best Of Show winners were: Senior Division — Virginia Hall for "Oddfellows Of American Coinage"; Junior Division — Julie Bascou for "The Lincoln Steel Cents". Doorprize drawings were held throughout the day, topped off by a gold Krugerrand and two other gold coins. The club's July meeting featured a program on "Coin Photography". In August, several members spoke briefly on their collecting specialties, including Doug Hitchingham on U.S. 2c coins and Don Holiday on Standing Liberty Quarters. The club held its 17th Annual (fall) Coin Show on Sept 18, but details are not available at this writing.

### **VERDUGO HILL COIN CLUB**

In May, Verdugo Hills celebrated its lucky 13th birthday. Several charter members and past presidents were present. Velma Reinoehl spoke briefly on the history of the club. Cy Phillips presented the educational program — a talk entitled "Coins Of This Wonderful Land, America". June's guest speaker, Mary Louise Charlesworth, Postmaster of Sunland 91040, presented a program on stamps. The July program featured a Numismatic Quiz Program conducted by Bill Omar. In addition, Bob Thompson conducted a "Silent Auction" which included one "mystery coin" identified only as being worth "over \$12". "Automatic Mechanical Musical Instruments", as presented by guest speaker David Kopf, enlivened August's meeting — particularly so as Mr Kopf brought along "Mighty Ruth" for a parking lot concert before the meeting. Robert Korver, Manager of the Auction Dept. of Bowers and Ruddy Galleries, presented "Coin Auctions — Explained By An Expert" at the September meeting.

## **WEST VALLEY COIN CLUB**

WVCC's March meeting featured a 22nd birthday celebration and a talk on "The Coins Of Queen Wilhelmina" by Alburtus Boegeveen. Bill Holberton spoke on "Islamic Coins" in April. William Koonce discussed "Orders Of Chivalry And Russian Imperial Decorations" at the May meeting. In June, Ben and Claire Abelson presented "A Portrait Of Israel Through Its Five Pound Coins". Ray Reed explored the possibilities of "Hawaiian Holidays" in July with emphasis on Hawaii's famous King Kamehameha I. In August, WVCC held its 19th Annual Coin-O-Rama. Twenty-eight dealers were signed up for the Bourse. Also included were exhibits, door prize drawings, free appraisals, etc. First reports indicate a very successful show.

## **WHITTIER COIN CLUB**

John Lenker (Pres. of CSNA) told all about "George The Third, Good Guy" at Whittier's June meeting. William O. Wisslead (Past President of NASC and also of CSNA) discussed "Buffalo Nickels" in July. August's meeting featured the club's annual White Elephant sale.

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**NASC WOODEN ISSUES** — We now have the "Twenty Three Wooden Cents" for our 23rd convention. Their **FREE** for the asking, maybe you will be unable to attend the convention or have a friend who collects these woods. Just forward the **SASE** to me and you will receive two.

**MOVING?** Please remember to forward a change of address to me. Summer issue of our **NASC Quarterly** produced too many returns. Maybe I still do not have a change of address, so remember to forward it.

**IT A REMINDER** — New Members joining **NASC** during the months of October, November and December 1977 receive membership for the balance of 1977 as well as the full year of 1978. If you have a friend who has "been thinking" of joining the association, these three months free is a good selling point. Join in and help **NASC** grow — Sponsor a New Member . . . . .

Sincerely yours,

*Carol*

Carol A. Linn  
Corresponding Secretary



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- ANAHEIM COIN CLUB**—Meets 3rd Wed., 7:30 p.m., Keystone Savings Bldg., Euclid at Crescent, Anaheim; Mail Address, 1448 N. Pine St., Orange, CA 92667.
- ANCIENT COIN CLUB OF LOS ANGELES**—Meets 1st Sun., 2:00 p.m., Westdale S&L, 2920 S. Sepulveda, West Los Angeles; Mail Address P.O. Box 227, Canoga Park, Ca. 91305.
- AZTECA NUMISMATIC SOCIETY**—Meets 4th Fri., 8:00 p.m., Calif. Fed. S&L, 10680 Pico (at Overland), Los Angeles; Mail Address, P.O. Box 4888, North Hollywood, CA 91607.
- BAKERSFIELD COIN CLUB**—Meets 2nd & 4th Tues., 7:30 p.m., Guarantee S&L, 5554 California Ave., Bakersfield; Mail Address, P.O. Box 1535, Bakersfield, CA 93301
- BAY CITIES COIN CLUB**—Meets 3rd Thurs., 8:00 p.m., Westdale S&L, 2920 S. Sepulveda Blvd., West Los Angeles; Mail Address, 3322 W. Santa Barbara Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90008.
- BOYLE HEIGHTS JR. STAMP AND COIN CLUB**—Meets 1st Sat., 12:30 p.m., Hollenbeck Park, 415 S. St. Louis St., Los Angeles; Mail Address, P.O. Box 33132, Los Angeles, Ca. 90033.
- CALIFORNIA ASSOCIATION OF TOKEN COLLECTORS**—Meets 3rd Sun. each odd-numbered month, 2:00 p.m., meetings at various members' homes; Mail Address, c/o Elaine J. Willahan, Sec., 516 W. 99th St., Los Angeles, CA 90044.
- CALIFORNIA EXONUMIST SOCIETY**—Meets Quarterly at various places; Mail Address, P.O. Box 1028, Colton, CA 92324.
- CALIFORNIA STATE NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION**—Meets twice a year in convention at various cities throughout the state; Mail Address, c/o Charles G. Colver, Sec'y, 611 N. Banna, Covina, Ca. 91722.
- CALIFORNIA WOODEN MONEY ASSOCIATION**—Meets 2nd Sat., 8:00 p.m. Eroc Hall, 1345 E. Phillips, Pomona; Mail Address, 9827 Rufus Ave., Whittier, CA 90605.
- CALTECH-JPL NUMISMATIC SOCIETY**—Meets 3rd Wed., 7:30 p.m., Room 168, Church Lab. Bldg, cor. Wilson & San Pasqual Sts., Pasadena; Mail Address, Jet Prop. Lab., 4800 Oak Grove Dr., Pasadena, Ca. 91103.
- CANYON COUNTRY COIN CLUB**—Meets 3rd Tues., 7:00 p.m., Hart High School, 24825 N. Newhall Ave., Newhall; Mail Address: P.O. Box 252, Newhall, CA 91321.
- CONEJO VALLEY COIN CLUB**—Meets 2nd Thurs., 7:30 p.m., 1st Fed. S&L, 50 W. Hillcrest, Thousand Oaks; Mail Address, P.O. Box 1694, Thousand Oaks, Ca. 91360.
- COUNCIL OF INTERNATIONAL NUMISMATICS (COIN)**—Meets annually in convention in June at Los Angeles Hilton Hotel, Los Angeles; Mail Address, c/o Betty L. Brander, Sec'y, 412 N. Myers St., Burbank, CA 91506.
- COVINA COIN CLUB**—Meets 3rd Wed., 8:00 p.m., Legion Hall, 340 Valencia Ave., Covina; Mail Address, 1341 E. Michelle St., West Covina, CA 91790.
- CULVER CITY COIN CLUB**—Meets 2nd Thurs., 8:00 p.m., Uruapan Room, Veterans Mem. Bldg., Culver & Overland, Culver City; Mail Address, P.O. Box 183, Culver City, Ca. 90230.
- DESERT COIN PROSPECTORS CLUB**—Meets 1st Tues., 8:00 p.m., 16821 "A" St., Victorville; Mail Address, P.O. Box 213, Victorville, CA 92392.
- DOWNEY NUMISMATISTS**—Meets 1st Wed., 7:30 p.m., Downey Women's Club, 9813 Paramount Bl., Downey; Mail Address, P.O. Box 165, Downey, 90241.
- EAST LOS ANGELES COIN CLUB**—Meets 3rd Mon., 8:00 p.m., Montebello Womens Club, 201 S. Park Ave., Montebello; Mail Address, 201 S. Park Ave., Montebello, CA 90640.
- ECHO PARK COIN CLUB**—Meets 4th Mon., 7:30 p.m., Methodist Church, 1226 N. Alvarado, Los Angeles; Mail Address, 2613 Huron St., Los Angeles, CA 90065.
- FONTANA UNITED NUMISMATISTS**—Meets 2nd Fri., 7:30 p.m., Eagles Hall, Alder at Arrow, Fontana; Mail Address, P.O. Box 71, Fontana, Ca. 92335.
- FORTY-NINER COIN CLUB**—Meets 2nd Wed., 7:45 p.m., South Gate Park Girls Club House, Tweedy & Southern, South Gate; Mail Address. 2814 Olive St., Huntington Park, CA 90255.
- FOUNTAIN VALLEY COIN CLUB**—Meets 1st Thurs., 7:30 p.m., Tamura School, 17340 Santa Suzanne St., Fountain Valley; Mail Address, 1891 St. John Rd., #36C, Seal Beach, CA 90740.

**GLENDAL COIN CLUB**—Meets 2nd Fri., 7:30 p.m., Glendale Fed. S&L, 401 N. Brand St., Glendale; Mail Address, P.O. Box 1237, Burbank, CA 91507

**HAWAII STATE NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION**—Meets Annually in convention in November; Mail Address, c/o John Murchison, 1212 Punahou St., No. 3307, Honolulu, Hawaii 96826.

**HEMET NUMISMATISTS CLUB**—Meets 2nd Thurs., 7:00 p.m., Whittier Elementary School, 400 W. Whittier Ave., Hemet; Mail Address, P.O. Box 1290, Hemet, CA 92343.

**SRAEL COIN CLUB OF LOS ANGELES**—Meets 1st Sun., 2:00 p.m., Brentwood S&L, 300 S. Fairfax Ave., Los Angeles; Mail Address, 447 S. Grandview St., Los Angeles, CA 90057.

**SRAEL NUMISMATIC SOCIETY OF LOS ANGELES**—Meets 3rd Thurs., 8:00 p.m., First Federal S&L, 464 N. Fairfax, Los Angeles; Mail Address, 122 N. Detroit St., Los Angeles, CA 90036.

**SRAEL NUMISMATIC SOCIETY OF SAN FERNANDO VALLEY**—Meets 2nd Sun., 2:00 p.m., Glendale Fed. S&L, 7119 Topanga Canyon Blvd., Canoga Park; Mail Address, P.O. Box 4833, Panorama City, CA 91412.

**SRAEL NUMISMATIC SOCIETY OF SAN GABRIEL VALLEY**—Meets 3rd Sun., 2:00 p.m., Prudential Savings Bldg., 1300 E. Valley Blvd., Alhambra; Mail Address, P.O. Box 1341, Upland, CA 91876.

**KAISER COIN CLUB**—Meets 4th Tues., 7:30 p.m., Club House No. 1, Kaiser Steel Plant, Fontana; Mail Address, 9337 Lime St., Fontana, CA 92335.

**LAGUNA HILLS COIN CLUB**—Meets 1st Mon., 7:30 p.m., Laguna Federal Savings, 24301 Paseo De Valencia, Laguna Hills; Mail Address, P.O. Box 2070 Laguna Hills, CA 92653.

**LAWDALE COIN CLUB**—Meets 3rd Sun., 2:00 p.m., Western Fed. S&L, 355 E. Manchester Blvd., Inglewood; Mail Address, 11604 Crenshaw Blvd., Inglewood, CA 90303.

**LEISURE WORLD COIN CLUB**—Meets 2nd and 4th Wed., 1:30 p.m., Seal Beach Leisure World Clubhouse, Seal Beach; Mail Address, 13301 Fairfield Lane, #183H, Seal Beach, CA 90740.

**L.E.R.C. NUMISMATIC SOCIETY**—Meets 1st and 3rd Weds., 7:30 p.m., Lockheed Rec. Ctr., 2814 Empire, Burbank; Mail Address not listed.

**LONG BEACH COIN CLUB**—Meets 1st Mon., 8:00 p.m., Great Western S&L 350 Long Beach Blvd., Long Beach; Mail Address, P.O. Box 635, Los Alamitos, CA 90720.

**LOS ANGELES COIN CLUB**—Meets 1st Fri., 8:00 p.m., Westdale S&L, 6245 Wilshire Blvd., Los Angeles; Mail Address, 22543 Ventura Blvd., #214, Woodland Hills, CA 91364.

**MONROVIA COIN CLUB**—Meets 2nd Mon., 8:00 p.m., Glendale S&L, Monrovia; Mail Address, 812 Payson St., La Verne, CA 91750.

**MONTEREY PARK COIN CLUB**—Meets 4th Fri., 8:00 p.m., Service Ctr. Club House, 440 S. McPherrin, Monterey Park; Mail Address 8555 E. Marshall St., Rosemead, CA 91770.

**NORTH HOLLYWOOD COIN CLUB**—Meets 2nd Tues., 7:30 p.m., Glendale Fed. S&L, 12191 Ventura Blvd., Studio City; Mail Address, 14010 Leadwell St., Van Nuys, CA 91405.

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**NORTHROP AIRCRAFT DIVISION COIN CLUB**—Meets 2nd Mon., 7:30 p.m., Northrop Rec. Clubhouse, betw. 120th & Broadway, Hawthorne; Mail Address, 11260 Overland Ave., #20-B, Culver City, CA 90230.

**NORWALK CALIFORNIA COIN CLUB**—Meets 1st Fri., 8:00 p.m., New River School, 13432 S. Halcourt St., Norwalk; Mail Address, 9827 Rufus Ave., Whittier, CA 90605.

**NUMISMATIC COUNCIL OF ORANGE COUNTY**—Meets annually in convention; Mail Address, P.O. Box 6292, Santa Ana, Ca. 92706.

**ORANGE COAST COIN CLUB**—Meets 2nd Thurs., 7:30 p.m., Fullerton S&L, Brookhurst and Talbert, Fountain Valley; Mail Address, 1891 St. John Rd., #36C, Seal Beach, CA 90740.

**ORANGE COUNTY COIN CLUB**—Meets 4th Wed., 8:00 p.m., Glendale Fed. Sav., 320 N. Harbor Bl., Fullerton; Mail Address P.O. Box 2004, Santa Ana, CA 92707.



- ORANGE COUNTY NUMISMATIC ERROR CLUB**—Meets 2nd Tues., 7:30 p.m., Santa Ana Library, Ross at Civic Center, Santa Ana; Mail Address, 16531 Alliance Ave., #C, Tustin, CA 92680.
- ORANGE COUNTY PNC CLUB** Meets 3rd Tues., 7:45 p.m., State Mutual S&L, 615 E. First St., Tustin; Mail Address P.O. Box 15631, Santa Ana, CA 92705.
- PICO RIVERA COIN CLUB**—Meets 2nd Tues., 7:30 p.m., Security Pacific Bank, Rosemead Sq., Rosemead; Mail Address, 8555 E. Marshall St., Rosemead, CA 91770.
- POMONA VALLEY COIN CLUB**—Meets 1st Sat., 8:00 p.m., 2111 Bonita Ave., La Verne; Mail Address, P.O. Box 36, Pomona, CA 91766.
- REDLANDS COIN CLUB**—Meets 2nd Tues., 7:30 p.m., Community Room, Provident Bank, 125 E. Citrus Ave., Redlands; Mail Address, P.O. Box 1028, Colton, CA 92324.
- RIVERSIDE COIN CLUB**—Meets 3rd Wed., 8:00 p.m., 2624 Fairmount Park, Riverside; Mail Address, P.O. Box 1028, Colton, CA 92324.
- SAN BERNARDINO COUNTY COIN CLUB**—Meets 3rd Thurs., 7:30 p.m., California Room, City Hall Con. Ctr., 2nd & E Sts., San Bernardino; Mail Address, P.O. Box 1028, Colton, Ca. 92324.
- SAN FERNANDO VALLEY COIN CLUB**—Meets on irregular schedule at Coast Federal Savings, 10101 Riverside Dr., Toluca Lake; Mail Address, 473 Fillmore St., Pasadena, CA 91106.
- SAN GABRIEL VALLEY COIN CLUB**—Meets 3rd Wed., 8:00 p.m., Wentworth Room, Huntington-Sheraton Hote, 1401 S. Oak Knoll, Pasadena; Mail Address, 2037 Fletcher Ave., South Pasadena, CA 91030.
- SANTA BARBARA COIN CLUB**—Meets 3rd Mon., 8:00 p.m., Glendale Fed. S&L, 3757 State St., Santa Barbara; Mail Address, P.O. Box 73, Santa Barbara, Ca. 93102.
- SANTA MARIA COIN CLUB**—Meets 3rd Tues., 8:00 p.m., Veterans Memorial Bldg., Pine & N. Price Sts., Santa Maria; Mail Address, 803 Blake St., Santa Maria, CA 93454.
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- SOUTHEASTERN SIERRA COIN CLUB**—Meets 4th Thur., 7:30 p.m. B of A Conf. Room, Bishop; Mail Address, P.O. Box 202, Bishop, Ca. 93514.
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- TORRANCE COIN CLUB**—Meets 3rd Tues., 7:30 p.m., WALTERIA Park, 3855 - 242nd St., Torrance; Mail Address, 18814 Florwood Ave., Torrance, Ca. 90504.
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- TUSTIN COIN CLUB**—Meets 2nd Fri., 7:30 p.m., State Mutual S&L, 615 E. First St., Tustin; Mail Address, P.O. Box 11, Tustin, Ca. 92680.
- UPLAND COIN CLUB**—Meets 3rd Sat., 8:00 p.m., Upland Lumber Co., 85 N. Euclid Ave., Upland; Mail Address, P.O. Box 63, Upland, Ca. 97186.
- VENTURA COUNTY COIN CLUB**—Meets 2nd Mon., 7:30 p.m., Ventura Library, 651 E. Main, Ventura; Mail Address, P.O. Box 3263, Ventura, Ca. 93003.
- VERDUGO HILLS COIN CLUB**—Meets 2nd Mon., 7:30 p.m., Glendale Federal S&L, 2350 Honolulu Ave., Montrose; Mail Address, P.O. Box 26, Tujunga, CA 91042.
- WEST VALLEY COIN CLUB**—Meets 4th Sun., 2:00 p.m., Reseda Womens Club, 7901 Lindley, Reseda; Mail Address, P.O. Box 221, Tarzana, Ca. 91356.
- WHITTIER COIN CLUB**—Meets 2nd Fri., 8:00 p.m., American S&L, 15725 E. Whittier Blvd., Whittier; Mail Address, P.O. Box 1068, Whittier, CA 90603



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## NASC ACTIVITIES

- Oct. 30, 1977 NASC Board Meeting, L. A. Hilton Hotel.
- Jan. 29, 1978 NASC Board Meeting, L. A. Hilton Hotel.
- Feb. 9-11, 1978 NASC 23rd Annual Convention, L. A. Hilton Hotel, Los Angeles.

## OTHER ACTIVITIES

- Oct. 8-9, 1977 Numismatic Council Of Orange County, 10th Annual Coin Show, Sheraton/Newport Beach Hotel, 4545 MacArthur Blvd., Newport Beach, CA--Sat., 9am-10pm; Sun., 10am-4pm; Admission: Adults \$1.00, Juniors \$.50.
- Oct. 21-23, 1977 California State Numismatic Association 61st Semi-Annual Convention, Pasadena Center, Pasadena, CA.
- Nov. 13, 1977 Conejo Valley Coin Club 13th Annual Coin Show, Howard Johnson's, 75 W. Thousand Oaks Blvd., Thousand Oaks, CA.
- Jan., 1978 San Bernardino County Coin Club 15th Annual Coin Show.
- Mar. 18-19, 1978 Bakersfield Coin Club 17th Annual Coin Show, Casa Royale Motor Inn, 251 S. Union Ave., Bakersfield, CA.
- Apr. 12-15, 1978 Society For International Numismatics 6th Annual Convention.
- Apr. 21-23, 1978 California State Numismatic Association 62nd Semi-Annual Convention, Jack Tar Hotel, San Francisco, CA.
- June, 1978 Convention Of International Numismatics 15th Annual Convention.
- Aug. 22-27, 1978 American Numismatic Association 87th Annual Convention, Astro-World Hotels, Houston, TX.
- Oct. 27-29, 1978 California State Numismatic Association 63rd Semi-Annual Convention.